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Dixon, IL – The Illinois Department of Transportation announces today that construction work to wash the Illinois approach to the I-74 Mississippi River Bridge will begin at 9:00 p.m. on Tuesday evening, April 14, 2015. All States Painting will be working from 9:00 p.m. until 5:00 a.m. for the next three nights to wash the deck and upper sections of the structure. The contractor for the \$74,500 project has been working from the parking lots under the bridge for the past week to clean the underside of the structure.

Motorists should be alert for the lane closures on the structure that extends from south of 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue to the Mississippi River Bridge. Operations will be moving very slowly as the cleaning crew moves along the bridge deck.

Please slow down and use extreme caution while driving through all work zones.

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